

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant : **WALTON, Rodney J. et al.**  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 31, 2007, please find the following:  
**Listing of the Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper; and  
**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.